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YESTERDAY'S MARKETS

Stocks go into tank on Big Blue's woes

TSE 300 closes below 10,000 plateau for first time since middle of June

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Bay and Wall streets spent another session in the tank as the markets reacted to Big Blue's less-than-spectacular quarterly report and hot economic data from the United States.

After plummeting almost 300 points during the first part of the session, the **Toronto** Stock Exchange 300-stock composite index sparked somewhat of a rally, closing down 205.78 points to 9,926.78. It was the TSE's first close below the 10,000-point plateau since mid-June.

In **New York**, bellwether **International Business Machines Corp.** sparked a broad selloff before the opening bell by reporting on-par third-quarter earnings but lower-than-expected sales. The heavyweight, which is a key component of the Dow Jones industrial average, tumbled 15.5 per cent to $85.50 (U.S.). At one point during the day, Big Blue touched a low of $80.25 — a mere $1.25 above its 52-week low of $80.

The slide yanked the Dow industrials down 114.69 points to a closing figure of 9,975.02. Earlier in the day, it touched its lowest level since March, falling to a low of 9,654.64. Financial blue-chip **J.P. Morgan & Co. Ltd.** also added to the decline, losing almost 2.5 per cent to $134.25 in the wake of a lower-than-expected statement from soon-to-be-parent Chase Manhattan Corp.

The tech-heavy Nasdaq Stock Market's composite index dropped 42.40 points to 3,171.56 despite a big jump from **WorldCom Inc.** Reuters reported that the telecom is likely to issue a tracking stock for its consumer and wholesale divisions, rather than cut the company up. WorldCom dialled up a gain of almost 10 per cent to $23.94.

The broad Standard & Poor's 500-stock index was off 7.84 points to 1,342.13.

The Canadian high techs pulled the CDNX down 21.94 points to 3,253.88.

In economic news, surging energy costs pushed the U.S. consumer price index higher last month, rising 0.5 per cent. The core inflation rate, which excludes volatile food and energy prices, gained 0.3 per cent, up from the August advance of 0.2 per cent.

On Bay Street, eight of the TSE's 14 subindexes ended lower, with the industrial products grouping making the steepest drop. The sector, home to most of Toronto's techs, fell more than 4 per cent as heavyweight **Nortel Networks Corp.** shed $5.90 (Canadian) to $90.55 as investors questioned what Nortel will bring to the table when it reports its third quarter next week.

JDS Uniphase Corp., Ballard Power Systems Inc., Certicom Corp. and **WI-LAN Inc.** also finished cheaper.

Research In Motion Ltd. continued to ride its wave of popularity. It gained another $2.20 to $177 as analysts with CIBC World Markets reiterated their "strong buy" rating on the stock with a 12-month target price of $115 (U.S.). RIM climbed to an intraday high of $190.30 (Canadian).

Toronto's paper and forest products grouping was the big winner at the end of the day, rising 3.2 per cent. **Abitibi-Consolidated Inc.** gained 5 cents to $10.85 with a volume of two million shares.

Overseas markets

London stocks dropped, led by computer-related companies after International Business Machines Corp. said sales growth is slowing, heightening concern that profit expectations are still too high. The benchmark FT-SE 100-stock index fell 122.5 points to 6,080.7.

The slide in technology shares also dragged down **Tokyo's** Nikkei 225-stock average. The index lost 467.74 points to 14,872.48, its lowest in more than 1½ years.

Wal-Mart de Mexico helped the **Mexican** market rebound after the retailer said third-quarter profit surged 22.4 per cent. The key IPC index climbed 59.35 points to 5,769.02.*Bloomberg News*

Bonds hardly budge

Canadian bonds were little changed, paring earlier gains, as stocks rebounded from a drop that had sent investors into assets perceived as less risky.

The 10-year, 5.5-per-cent **Canada bond** was unchanged at $98.75, leaving the yield at 5.67 per cent. The yield on the 30-year, 5.75-per-cent bond rose one basis point to 5.56 per cent. (A basis point is 1/100th of a percentage point.)

U.S. Treasuries rose as the three major U.S. stock measures extended a two-week slump sending investors to safer government securities. The most active 10-year note rose 6/32 or $1.88 (U.S.) per $1,000 face amount to 100 3/4. Its yield fell two basis points to 5.66 per cent. The 30-year bond underperformed notes, rising 2/32 to 106 29/32. Its yield fell one basis point to 5.76 per cent. *Bloomberg News*

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MARKET MOVERS

RIM (TSE-RIM) $177, up $2.20

The good times continued to roll yesterday for Research In Motion with a rising stock price in a down market. The stock hit $190.30 during the session before settling back. Yesterday's gain brings RIM's four-day advance to 29 per cent. The maker of wireless pagers is getting a boost from its California-based rival Handspring Inc., which beat analysts' expectations with first-quarter results. Investors also appear to like the fact that RIM's 857 Wireless Handheld is now operating on Motient Corp.'s nationwide wireless data network in the United States.

Spectrum Signal (TSE-SSY) $5.20, up 95 cents

Burnaby, B.C.-based Spectrum Signal Processing, which makes digital signal processing computer systems, said Agilent Technologies Inc. will use Spectrum components in its wireless communications systems. Agilent was spun off from Hewlett-Packard Co. in June.

Jitec (ME-JIT) $5.50, down $1.50

Trading in shares of the Montreal-based information technology company resumed trading yesterday after they were halted Monday when the Montreal Exchange sought clarifications made in two previous company press releases. Among other things, the telecommunications company was asked by the ME to provide details of its sale of four operating centres. The ME said Tuesday that it was satisfied with the clarifications to the statements. Jitec, whose shares soared to a high of $11.65 last month, sells low-cost computer networking systems such as bare-bones computers that have no hard drives or CD-ROM drives but are connected to high-powered servers loaded with the latest in software.

Badger (TSE-BAD) $1.25, down 10 cents

Shares of **Badger Daylighting Inc.** fell 7.4 per cent yesterday. The Calgary-based provider of services and equipment to the oil and gas industries was cut to "market perform" from "buy" by analyst John Berezniuk at Sprott Securities Inc. He cut his 12-month target price to $2 a share from $3.25 a share.

Canada 3000 (TSE-CCC) $10, up $1.20

The Toronto-based airline said it contracted a total of nine Airbus A319 aircraft to be used for domestic and transborder flights.

Corus Ent. (TSE-CJR.B) $39.20, up $1.20

The Toronto-based operator of radio and television stations was raised to "strong buy" from "hold" by analyst Megan Anderson at Yorkton Securities Inc.

Imax (TSE-IMX) $6.60, down 70 cents

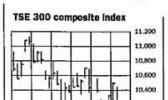
Standard & Poor's Corp. lowered its corporate credit and senior unsecured debt ratings for the maker of big-screen movie projection systems.

Camco (TSE-COC) $3.40, up 39 cents

The Hamilton, Ont.-based manufacturer of home appliances said its third-quarter profit was $3.4-million, compared with $2-million a year earlier. Revenue rose to $180.8-million, compared with $159.6-million.

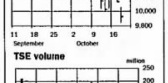
Staff and wires

TSE 300 composite Index

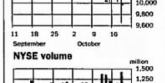


Dow Jones Industrial

TSE volume



NYSE volume



October 18
High 10,052.28
Low 9,848.68
Close 9,926.78
Volume 145,402,000

October 18
High 10,085.99
Low 9,654.64
Close 9,975.02
Volume 1,425,429,000

CANADIAN INDEXES

Toronto Stock Exchange

52-week

high	low	Index	High	Low	Close	Chg	% Chg	Vol (100s)	Div	Yld	Avg P/E	Tot. Ret.
11493.97	6717.15	TSE 300	10052.28	9848.68	9926.78	-205.78	-2.0	922715	1.11	32.54	21390.87	
647.11	483.25	S&P/TSE 60	631.88	619.56	626.28	-15.60	-2.5	111540				
551.66	429.64	TSE 200	487.63	483.36	486.23	-1.40	-0.3	232206	1.04	33.34	526.95	
717.25	615.47	TSE 100	636.13	614.58	631.89	+4.24	+2.2	699509	1.13	27.22	1913.71	
610.58	395.48	TSE 35	572.50	554.02	570.62	+0.63	+0.1	458529	1.48	19.07	1024.43	
2001.47	1673.09	DJ Canada 40	1739.89	1673.09	1689.01	+50.75	+2.9					
675.59	398.10	S&P Com Mid Cap	617.61	598.42	613.43	-1.90	-0.6	97315				
515.43	379.23	S&P Com Small Cap	454.39	447.73	453.71	-0.61	-0.1					

TSE 300 subgroups

Index	High	Low	Close	Chg	Vol
Metals & minerals	3365.11	3322.34	3360.50	+13.88	3567599
Integrated mines	3662.63	3625.55	3651.47	+15.80	1487987
Golds	1436.61	1411.92	1429.05	-4.19	79612
Gold/gen'l mnerls	3616.02	3604.51	3611.97	+17.09	1027508
Oil and gas	7801.66	7759.37	7803.06	+46.67	8032194
Integrated oils	11198.57	11149.99	11152.36	+49.38	1308810
Oil & gas prdcr	6729.19	6670.13	6729.19	+43.13	6923326
Oil & gas srvc	3121.59	3072.57	3108.62	+19.45	185068
Paper & forest	4699.72	4638.84	4657.80	+125.85	2909554
Consumer products	6947.41	6846.63	6946.47	-38.56	2382951
Food processng	4987.45	4750.86	4753.56	+149.92	31527
Tobacco	44629.48	43495.30	44629.48	+1020.09	6647
Brewries/bev	7136.29	6996.16	7113.36	+10.79	79674
Household gds	1387.05	1358.03	1387.05	+27.00	159046
Biotech/pharm	2909.63	2811.21	2904.64	-8.49	2067797
Electrical products	13617.76	13393.61	13538.31	+248.33	3867237
Steel	803.52	790.63	795.40	+11.38	481057
Fabricating mnfg	8532.81	8358.05	8472.57	+111.02	1496812
Transport equip	1556.98	1485.41	1540.42	-19.73	6469561
Tech hardware	6418.16	6104.68	6104.68	-327.91	10256431
Semicon & material	5094.27	4995.73	5094.27	+27.54	179483
Chem & fertilizer	4276.32	4125.97	4168.33	+18.54	1412315
Tech software	2619.52	2562.86	2592.61	-16.88	2128379
Autos & parts	1923.82	1889.54	1893.37	+9.28	149539

TSE 100 subgroups

Index	High	Low	Close	Chg	Vol
Consumer	513.21	498.35	500.46	-4.34	4609384
Industrial	1045.30	998.80	1007.10	+13.90	3784488
Interest sensitive	815.80	801.78	813.20	+0.78	1896379
Resource	273.76	271.24	272.62	+1.22	1759038

CDNX 52-week

high	low	Index	High	Low	Close	Chg	% Chg	Vol
4535.10	1933.20	Composite	3260.60	3231.00	3253.88	-21.94	-0.7	42273203
5017.89	3374.98	Mining	4553.38	4501.65	4548.29	-4.10	-0.1	
4179.16	2178.95	Oil and Gas	4237.34	4171.13	4211.03	+15.87	+0.4	
8373.26	3550.65	Technology	3619.31	3550.65	3608.51	-45.55	-1.2	

U.S. INDEXES

New York Stock Exchange

52-week

high	low	Index	High	Low	Close	Chg	% Chg	Vol (100s)
11750.29	9654.64	DJ Industrials-A	10085.99	9654.64	9975.02	-114.69	-1.1	3678537
3182.47	2168.95	DJ Transport-A	2791.22	2748.76	2768.05	+22.57	+0.9	57284
403.72	268.59	DJ Utilities-A	398.05	387.58	388.25	-7.15	-1.8	198730
3323.19	2743.01	DJ 65 Composit-A	3041.59	2958.66	3003.54	+38.78	+1.3	3973737
99.32	93.23	DJ Bond			95.62	-0.11	-0.1	
846.46	656.79	S&P 100	714.43	685.72	706.77	-4.91	-0.7	
549.63	369.50	S&P 400 MidCap	495.42	476.72	491.82	-1.47	-0.3	
1553.11	1154.13	S&P 500	1356.61	1306.19	1342.13	-7.84	-0.6	
165.03	109.01	S&P Financial	146.88	138.80	145.09	-0.26	-0.2	
1947.79	1546.69	S&P Industrials	1627.29	1566.66	1609.56	-9.45	-0.6	
657.96	485.68	S&P Transport	576.81	563.58	567.49	-9.32	-1.6	
342.87	215.25	S&P Utilities	329.61	320.03	321.40	-6.60	-2.0	

New York

Index	Close	Chg
NYSE Composite	625.16	-4.30
NYSE Industrials	781.71	-4.38
NYSE Transportation	373.37	-2.02
NYSE Utilities	434.37	-4.09
NYSE Finance	560.62	-1.21

Nasdaq

Index	High	Low	Close	Chg	% Chg
Nasdaq comp	3257.80	3026.19	3171.56	-42.40	-1.3
NMM Composite	1482.90	1376.90	1443.40	-19.30	-1.3
NMM Industrial	1872.00	671.30	790.60	-13.00	-1.9

American

Index	High	Low	Close	Chg	% Chg
Amex Biotech	731.50	675.20	722.70	+15.06	+2.1
Amex Composi	899.53	887.20	898.11	-1.42	-0.2
Institutional	792.90	758.99	781.95	-4.96	-0.6
Japan Index	155.79	155.79	155.79	-4.96	-3.1
Major market	1615.61	1582.32	1604.23	+11.15	+0.7
Oil and gas	535.31	523.55	524.62	-6.74	-1.3

New York odd lots
Odd-lot trades through the New York Stock Exchange for Tuesday were not available.

MARKET BREADTH

Volume in 1,000s *
NYSE and Nasdaq in millions

	Trading	Adv.	Decl.	Trans.	Issues	Adv.	Decl.	Unch.	New High	New Low
Toronto	145402	63868	68838	324945	1337	483	637	237	9	66
Montreal	2661	509	1846	1328	69	19	36	14	0	2
CDNX	42416	12736	20630	113337	1217	335	483	399	2	20
New York	1425.4	566.7	797.4	4917727	3313	958	1929	426	21	295
American	74176	46941	25602	21101	774	207	431	136	3	117
Nasdaq	2450.6	859.9	1490.5	3399781	4652	1432	2595	625	19	459

U.S. INDEX OPTIONS

r - not traded; s - no option offered

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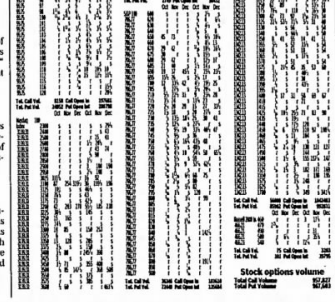

Stock options volume

MOST ACTIVE ISSUES

Toronto Stock Exchange

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Nortel Net	NT	12812777	90.55	-5.90
Laidlaw	LDM	8217339	.355	+.155
BmbrB	BBD.B	6251000	23.40	-0.30
France-Nova	FN	4436231	13.15	+0.65
TD Bank	TD	4405253	37.40	-0.55
Sun Life Fi	SLF	3946029	29.85	+0.85
William Mult	WiM	2617808	.115	+.005
BCE Inc	BCE	2476242	35.40	+1.15
Gulf Cda	GOU	2439611	7.30	+0.25
Alcan	AL	2235066	46.40	-0.60

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Abitibi Consol	A	2018298	10.85	+0.05
Royal Bank	RY	1716134	41.80	-0.50
Limits i60	XXU	1668873	59.70	-1.95
Manulife Fi	MFC	1597401	34.35	-0.30
Heritage Cp	HCI	1484837	.355	
Barrick Gld	ABX	1374474	19.95	-0.30
RTO Ent	RTO	1262900	8.22	-0.08
CIBC	CM	1249070	43.40	-0.25
Bank Mtl	BMO	1124978	64.20	+0.05
Aurado Ex	AED	1121400	2.01	+0.08

Montreal Exchange

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Jitec	JIT	920950	5.50	-1.50
Photochamt	PNI	154800	1.22	-0.03
Areenagold	AIM	114000	6.92	+0.01
Samsys	SMY	88372	3.00	+0.40
Genomics	GNX	71810	3.15	-0.37

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Change
Searchgold	RSG	71500	0.30	
Limtech Lik	LTC	71310	1.08	-0.02
Zaq Inc	ZAQ	66514	2.60	-0.15
Jitec Legal	LEJ	65300	0.10	-0.06
Maude Lk	MAU	61432	0.15	+0.05

CDNX

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Wavvo Tele	WV	3133657	1.07	-0.39
Hydrovnt	HYM.A	1797800	0.16	+0.01
Brazilian	YBZ	1585000	0.43	-0.07
Fuel Cell	FCT	1035863	3.75	-0.55
Alternative	ATF	894984	1.73	-0.08

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Change
Intl Annax	IAX	787000	0.40	
Lifestart	LSM	630500	0.06	+0.01
Cdn Imperl	CQV	607890	0.45	
New Bullet	NBQ	553500	0.10	+0.05
Exon Energ	LEY	505500	0.10	-0.01

New York Stock Exchange

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
AmerOnlin	AOL	44139000	46.91	+3.31
IBM	IBM	29776000	97⅛	-15⅝
Chase Ma	CMB	29641000	39⅞	-1¼
Lucent Tech	LU	28830000	21.00	
Texas Instr	TXN	27518000	36⅛	-1⅝
AT&T	T	27810000	27¼	-¾
Nokia Crp	NOK	24866000	38.00	-1⅛
Nortel Net	NT	24362000	90½	-5⅞
Motorola	MOT	23035000	20¼	-1⅛
Micron Tech	MU	22834000	28⅝	-1⅛

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Citigroup	C	20993000	48⅞	-1⅝
EMC Crp	EMC	20671000	90.00	-4⅛
Gensf Electrl	GE	18414000	56½	-¼
Compaq	CPQ	17270000	23.04	-0.71
Adv Micr	AMD	16308000	18¾	-¼
Xerox	XRX	15222000	6½	-⅛
Tyco Intern	TYC	15067000	45.00	-1¼
Monsanto	MON	13945000	21¼	+1¼
Home Depot	HD	13905000	36⅞	+1¼
Corning	GLW	12675000	85¾	-1¾

Nasdaq

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Intel Corp	INTC	119830000	38½	+2.00
Covad	COVD	60860000	3⅞	-5⅞
Worldco	WCOM	56837000	23⅝	+2¼
Sun Micro	SUNW	67867000	110⅝	-1¼
Cisco	CSCO	65563000	52¼	-2¼
Microsoft	MSFT	53957000	51¼	+1⅜
Oracle	ORCL	51838000	33⅛	-¼
Dell Com	DELL	45933000	26¼	+1⅛
Rf Micro	RFMD	44381000	14¼	-⅜
AppldMat	AMAT	31366000	42¼	-2⅛

Stocks	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Realnetwk	RNWK	30160000	14⅞	-6⅜
Yahoo	YHOO	29650000	52¼	+3⅜
PeopleSft	PSFT	27161000	41¼	+6⅞
Ericsson	ERICY	23998000	13⅜	-⅛
Copper	CMTN	22858000	9⅛	-17⁄8
Terayon	TERN	21809000	19¼	-2¼
Atmel Cp	ATML	20570000	12¼	+¾
JDS Uniph	JDSU	19590000	87.00	+4⅝
Doubleclk	DCLK	18672000	12.00	+1½
Amazon.	AMZN	18567000	25¼	+3⅛

BIGGEST % GAINERS... ... AND LOSERS

(Stocks trading at least 1,000 shares)

Toronto Stock Exchange

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Pentland Fir	PFO	27000	0.30	+88
Laidlaw	LDM	8217339	.355	+78
Aurado Ex	AED	1121400	2.01	+42
Brandseite	BNT	32650	0.15	+50
Pantorama	PTA	1300	0.95	+44

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Ursa Major	URS	2400	0.15	-40
Agro Pacific	API	5000	0.10	-29
RTO Ent	RTO	1262900	8.22	-27
Ariel Res	AU	49000	0.08	-24
Etruscan	EET	31000	.075	-21

Montreal Exchange

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Metco Res	MKO	10000	0.27	+170
Maude Lk	MAU	61432	0.15	+50
Vencan Go	VCG	10000	0.14	+40
Angle Swi	ASW	41000	0.17	+21
Cimatec	CEG	10000	0.13	+18

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Lexam Expl	LEX	65300	0.10	-38
Dilem Explor	DIT	4900	0.35	-29
Jourdan Rs	JRN	12500	0.05	-29
Consl Oasis	CSI	3017	0.81	-25
Oskiko Exp	OSK	15000	0.14	-22

CDNX

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Melanesian	YMM	10000	0.02	+200
Renwowa	RWX	17740	0.08	+100
US Platinm	UPT	1800	0.11	+83
Vector Inter	VTE	10000	0.12	+71
Golds Gram	YBA	29500	0.25	+67

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Cdn Resou	KRP	2000	0.05	-58
Amusem	ATL.e	2000	0.04	-56
Adda Res	ADA	7100	0.04	-50
Consl Plnet	CTT	1667	0.04	-50
KSAT Satel	KSA	2433	0.75	-50

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Media Art	MDA	513200	5.00	+48
Simula	SMU	207300	3.00	+23
Mun Usa	MUI	17300	9.00	+20
Stryker	SYK	1537000	46⅝	+20
Cursecc	CNC	5516000	57⅛	+16

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Chipsit	COB.PR.A	90300	6½	-41
Chiq	COB.PR.B	72300	6¼	-36
Ltf Educatnl	EDU	1600000	16⅞	-24
China Tire	TIR	40400	2½	-20
Cornell Co	CRN	95300	8½	-18

Nasdaq

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Telxonix	TEXC	21600	3⅞	+87
Isla	XXIA	7938000	20½	+58
Mining Sv	MSIX	6400	2⅜	+50
Mp3.Com	MPPP	926400	4.00	+46
Inet Techs	INTI	697000	27¼	+39

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Copper	CMTN	22858000	9⅛	-63
Accrue S	ACRU	3264000	3⅜	-59
Covad	COVD	60860000	3⅞	-59
Cantab	CNTBY	30500	4½	-57
Terayon	TERN	21809000	19¼	-52

TOP NET GAINERS... ... AND LOSERS

(Stocks trading at least 1,000 shares)

Toronto Stock Exchange

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Weyerhaeus	WYL	3338	61.85	+6.00
West Fraser	WFT	5615	76.60	+5.50
Celestica	CLS	807776	187.50	+5.10
Merrill Lyn	MLC	7773	90.00	+4.00
Unitd Dom	UDI	221682	34.50	+3.15

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
B Split	BST	1250	150.00	-10.00
Alcatel Cda	AT	484795	90.80	-7.45
Ballard	BLD	179745	138.70	-7.30
JDS Uniph	JDSU	511101	133.00	-7.00
Sierra Wirel	SW	165748	114.95	-6.55

Montreal Exchange

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Samsys	SMY	88372	3.00	+0.40
Alliance	AQ.B	20100	1.40	+0.18
Metco Res	MKO	10000	0.27	+0.17
Sports	SPS.PR.A	3300	2.15	+0.15

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Jitec	JIT	920950	5.50	-1.50
Genomics	GNX	71810	3.15	-0.37
Future Bea	FBC	5000	2.00	-0.20
Zaq Inc	ZAQ	66514	2.60	-0.15
Dilem Explor	DIT	4900	0.35	-0.14

CDNX

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Cymal Corp	YFO	99803	3.90	+0.90
Indergold	IGO.A	2600	2.99	+0.49
Lumi Tech	LUX	17700	5.10	+0.34
Arimacis	AMA	27900	2.48	+0.33
Titan Trad	TTA	31300	1.10	+0.31

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Visualabs	VLI	24090	11.00	-0.85
KSAT Satel	KSA	2433	0.75	-0.75
Fuel Cell	FCT	1035863	3.75	-0.55
Nettron.co	NTT	5200	2.25	-0.50
Toun Alert	YTX	7300	3.45	-0.45

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Allegheny	Y	39700	200¾	+10⅞
Stryker	SYK	1537000	46⅝	+17⅛
Viacom	VIA.B	9135000	51¾	+6¾
Viacom	VIA	884200	51¾	+6¾
Forest Lab	FRX	906800	121⅞	+4¾

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
IBM	IBM	29776000	97⅛	-15⅝
Techsitrol	TNL	639500	77½	-13⅛
Berkshi	BRK/B	7710	1885.00	-13.00
AES.PR.C	11700	83¾	-6⅜
Corning	GLW	12675000	85¾	-7¼

Nasdaq

Gainers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Check Pt	CHKP	7853000	164⅛	+127⅛
Vsand	VAND	5723000	91⅝	+13⅜
Cachelle	CFLO	1037000	135½	+11½
PeopleSft	PSFT	27161000	41¼	+6⅞
Inet Techs	INTI	697000	27¼	+4¾

Losers	Sym	Volume	Close	Chg.
Globespn	GSPN	15559900	74⅜	-36⅛
Ltlm	LTLM	936600	32¼	-30⅛
SDL Inc	SDLI	5412000	218¼	-27⅛
Terayon	TERN	21809000	19¼	-21¼
Virata	VRTA	8121000	28¾	-19¼

MONEY RATES

ADMINISTERED RATES

Bank of Canada	6.00%
Central bank call range	5.50-6.00%
Canadian prime	7.50%

MONEY MARKET RATES (for transactions of $1-million or more)

3-month treasury bills	5.62%
6-month treasury bills	5.72%
1-year treasury bills	5.79%
10-year Canada bonds	5.67%
30-year Canada bonds	5.56%
1-month banker's accept.	5.81%
2-month banker's accept.	5.82%
3-month banker's accept.	5.84%

Commercial Paper (R-1 Low)

1-month	5.64%
2-month	5.66%
3-month	5.68%
Call money	5.75%

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UNITED STATES

NEW YORK (AP) — Money rates for Wednesday as reported by Bridge Telerate as of 4 p.m.:

Prime Rate: 9.50

Discount Rate: 6.00

Broker call loan rate: 8.25

Federal funds market rate: High 6.50; low 6.4375; last 6.4375

Dealers commercial paper: 30-180 days: 6.46-6.31

Bankers acceptances dealer indications: 30 days, 6.49; 60 days, 6.50; 90 days, 6.53; 120 days, 6.52; 150 days, 6.50; 180 days, 6.48

Certificates of Deposit Primary: 30 days, 6.48; 90 days, 5.60; 180 days, 5.79

Certificates of Deposit by dealer: 30 days, 6.53; 60 days, 6.53; 90 days, 6.65; 120 days, 6.62; 150 days, 6.63; 180 days, 6.60

Eurodollar rates: Overnight, 6.44-6.50; 1 month, 6.53-6.58; 3 months, 6.64-6.69; 6 months, 6.58-6.64; 1 year, 6.56-6.61

London Interbank Offered Rate: 3 months, 6.76; 6 months, 6.70; 1 year, 6.69

Treasury bill auction results: average discount rate: 3-month as of Oct. 16: 6.080; 6-month as of Oct. 16: 5.990; 52-week as of Aug 29: 5.88

Treasury bill annualized rate on weekly average basis, yield adjusted for constant maturity, 1-year, as of Oct. 16: 6.58

Treasury bill market rate, 1-year: 5.63-5.61

Treasury Note market rate, 10-year 5.68

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